

## The Week Ahead at Faith Community Lutheran

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Date	Time / Event	Information & Location
<b>Feb 24</b> SUN	8:30a-12:30p Bonfils Blood Drive <b>8:30a Worship</b> 9:00a-11:00a Blood Pressure Check! 9:45a Sunday School <b>11:00a Worship</b> 3:00p-5:30p Rios De Agua Viva	Fellowship Hall. Contact: Mary Konicek <b>Sanctuary</b> Fireside Room. Contact: Nanette Goings  <b>Sanctuary</b> Spanish Prayer & Praise Service—Fellowship Hall
<b>Feb 25</b> MON	9:00a-11:00a Prayer Shawl Ministry 6:30p-8:00p LOF Rehearsal 7:00p-9:30p Rios De Agua Viva 7:00p-8:30p Weavers of the Cloth	Sunset Room 230. Contacts: Marsha Tollefson/Carole Freeman Sanctuary. Contact: John Christianson Fellowship Hall. Contact: Raquel Lopez Devotions & Crafts. Sunset Room 230. Contact: Nanette Goings
<b>Feb 26</b> TUE	1:00p Staff Meeting 7:00p-8:30p Boy Scout Troop 7:00p-8:30p Rios De Agua Viva 7:00p-8:00p Men's Bible Study	Fireside Room Sunrise Room 226. Contact: Don Lee Fellowship Hall. Contact: Raquel Lopez Fireside Room. Contact: Kevin Bachman
<b>Feb 27</b> WED	6:30a-7:30a Men's Bible Study 9:00a-11:00a Library Committee 9:30a-11:00a Moms & More  <b>4:30p Lenten Service</b> 5:15p-6:45p Lenten Soup Supper 6:00p-7:00p Confirmation 6:00p-7:00p Bethany Prayer Watch 6:00p Wednesday Night Live <b>7:00p Lenten Service</b> 7:45p Choir Rehearsal	Sunset Room 230. Contacts: Pastor Dan and Pastor Bruce Library/Reading Room. Contact: Lois Ward Bible Study Sunset Room 230. Contact: Mandy Wormke or Stephanie Demosthenes <b>Sanctuary</b> Fellowship Hall. Contact: Sally Meier/Pam Lind Grades 6-8. Contact: Nanette Goings Fireside Room. Contact: Lee Quaintance Contact: Diane Sell <b>Sanctuary</b> Sanctuary. Contact: Dawn Hajdas
<b>Feb 28</b> THU	9:00a-9:30a Women's Fitball 9:30a-11:00a Women's Bible Study 9:30a-11:00a Women's Bible Study  6:30p-9:00p Stephen Ministry Training 6:30p-8:00p LOF Worship Team Rehearsal 7:00p-9:30p Rios De Agua Viva	Room 126. Contact: Nanette Goings Life of Jesus. Room 107. Contact: Nanette Goings <i>Book of Ephesians</i> —Reading Room. Contacts: Chris Goble/Marsha Tollefson Sunset Room and Rm. 232. Contact: Julie Baas Sanctuary. Contact: John Christianson Fellowship Hall. Contact: Raquel Lopez
<b>Feb 29</b> FRI	9:00a-11:00a Women's Bible Study Women's Winter Weekend Begins!	Location: Jeanne's Ruiz' home. Contact: Jeanne Ruiz Return on Saturday/Sunday. See Jill Krantz, Cookie Olsen or Antoinette Enders for more info.
<b>Mar 1</b> SAT	8:30a-9:30a Women's Fitball  <b>5:30p Worship</b> 6:30p-7:30p Bethany Prayer Watch 6:30p-10:00p High School SNS	Bible Study and Fitball Exercise. Room 126 Contact: Nanette Goings <b>Sanctuary</b> Sanctuary. Contact: Lee Quaintance Saturday Night at the Stovers. Contact: Alicia & Mike Stover
<b>Mar 2</b> SUN	<b>8:30a Worship</b> 9:45a Sunday School <b>11:00a Worship</b> 12:15p Workcamp Meeting (Utah) 3:00p-5:30p Rios De Agua Viva 6:00p-7:30p Orientation to FCLC	<b>Sanctuary</b>  <b>Sanctuary</b> Sunrise Room. Contact: Sililo Woo Ching Spanish Prayer & Praise Service—Fellowship Hall. Sunrise Room 226. Contact: Nanette Goings

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### OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday  
8:30am-12pm, 1pm-4:30pm

### WORSHIP SERVICES:

Saturday: 5:30pm  
Sunday: 8:30am & 11am  
Wednesday: 4:30pm & 7pm

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Sunday: 9:45am-10:45am  
Wednesday: 6pm-7pm

### STAFF:

#### Pastors

Dan Hansen [dan@fclc.org](mailto:dan@fclc.org)

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#### Admin Assistant

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#### Director of Bus Admin

Susan Moller (12 hrs) -- [susan@fclc.org](mailto:susan@fclc.org)

#### Director of Choirs

Dawn Hajdas (15 hrs.) - [dawn@fclc.org](mailto:dawn@fclc.org)

#### Nursery Coordinator

Natalie Boggess (10 hrs.) [natalie@fclc.org](mailto:natalie@fclc.org)

#### Director, Property & Maint

Bob Thoman (10 hrs) [bob@fclc.org](mailto:bob@fclc.org)

#### Custodians

Sparkle Cleaning:  
Sean & Alisha Gwvnn



## The Third Sunday in Lent

February 24, 2008

### A Spring of Water

In today's Gospel, we see Jesus being a blessing to a Samaritan woman. She comes upon him at the community well, and he asks her for a drink of water. She says, "I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" In that statement we understand something of the hostility between Jews and Samaritans. This hostile relationship went back centuries, and the hatred remained in Jesus' time. In those days, Jews commonly used racial slurs to refer to Samaritans.

This woman had come to the well in mid-day, in the heat of the day. We learn later that she was not very respectable; she may have gone to draw water at noon to avoid contact with the other women of the village. So what was Jesus, a Jew, doing talking to a Samaritan? And a sinful woman as well?

In the verbal exchange Jesus has with her, she at last comes to know Jesus for who He is - the Messiah. And in later verses John tells us that she told the whole village of her experience, and they came to Him and believed.

She was changed because of her encounter with Jesus, because Jesus revealed Himself to her. And she was so deeply moved that she told everyone of her experience. Her witness was powerful!

We never learn if Jesus drank from the well. We never learn what she did about her adulterous relationships. We only know that she came to know Jesus as the Messiah and Savior. What a joy it is to know Him and to drink of the water He gives. For we know this is the water that "will become . . . a spring of water welling up to eternal life" in us.

"Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation."

- Miles Olson

### Scripture Readings for next weekend, March 1 & 2, 2008:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Psalm 23

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14

Holy Gospel: John 9:1-11

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Worship Services -- 8:30 & 11:00 am

We welcome little children as we worship! If you do need to step out because of a restless child, we have equipped both the narthex and nursery with excellent speakers to serve your worshiping needs. -Thank you.

## Gathering as Community

Gathering Music..... Time for Prayer and Meditation  
Welcome ..... Pastor Dan Hansen  
Opening Hymn.....“Everlasting God”  
Apostolic Greeting  
Confession & Forgiveness  
Song of Praise ..... “O Worship the King”  
Prayer of the Day

## Proclaiming, Hearing the Word

First Lesson ..... Exodus 17:3-7, p.103  
Psalm ..... Psalm 95:1-6, p.847  
Second Lesson..... Romans 5:1-8 p.1615  
Gospel Verse ..... John 4:4-26, p.1527  
Children’s Message.....Puppets.....Mike Krantz & Terry Schemmel  
The Sermon.....“Wells and Walls”.....Pastor Bruce Welander  
Hymn of Response ..... “Spread, O Spread, Almighty Word”  
Statement of Faith ..... The Apostles’ Creed  
Tithes & Offerings..... 8:30a... “Hallelujah”.....Jennifer Walder  
.....11a.....“Don’t You Wanna Go?”.....Adult Choir  
Offertory ..... “Take, Oh, Take Me as I Am”  
Prayers ..... Worshipers are invited to share their prayers out loud.

## Sharing the Meal

Words of Institution ..... The Lord’s Prayer  
Sacrament of Holy Communion .....Anointing with Oil  
Songs during Communion.. “Softly and Tenderly,” “In Christ Alone,” “I Want Jesus to Walk with Me,”  
“Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service,” “There is a Redeemer,” “Think About His Love”

## Sending Out

Post-Communion Blessing ..... Prayer of Thanksgiving  
Closing Hymn ..... “Amazing Grace”  
Postlude ..... “How Can I Keep from Singing”

Saturday Worship -- February 23, 2008 --- 5:30 - 6:15 pm

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Greeting, Confession, Prayer

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## Sharing the Meal

Communion

Beginning in front on both sides, please gather around the altar. After communing, please commune the next person by holding the bread and cup of red grape juice and saying “The body and blood of Christ given for you,” as that person dips bread into the cup. (Parents may commune younger children first before communing the next person.) Then, please return to your seat so others may come.

## Sending Out

Post-Communion Blessing  
Closing Song ..... “Amazing Grace”  
Postlude..... “How Can I Keep from Singing”

### Confirmation question:

Who might be “outsiders” in our world (your world) like the woman at the well?

[FCLC has trained Stephen Ministers](#)— Christian caregivers who encourage, care, and pray. Ask for a Stephen Minister by calling the church office, 303-776-8771, or call Julie Baas, 303-772-4995.

If you are dealing with a health crisis or special need, please let us know if you’d like prayers and anointing with oil with a small group of us after worship – this can be arranged on short notice! Just tell Pastor Dan or Pastor Bruce.

